

Louisiana Department of Health Office of the Secretary

AGENDA

HR 269

Employment and Medical Marijuana Task Force Subcommittee Meeting Tuesday, November 15, 2022

Second Subcommittee: 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. First Subcommittee: 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. Third Subcommittee: 3:00 – 4:30 p.m.

900 N. Third Street, Baton Rouge, LA 70802

State Capitol Committee Room 4

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- Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Minutes approval from 10/18/22 subcommittee meeting
- IV. Review data, define role of each subcommittee member based on topic, and prepare output to share with task force committee members on Tuesday, November 29, 2022.

First Subcommittee Topics:

- 1. What other states, preferably neighboring states, if any, have done to prevent employment discrimination because of the use of medical marijuana.
- 2. What other states, preferably neighboring states, if any, have policies and regulations in place that provide employment protections for both employers and employees for the use of medical marijuana.

Second Subcommittee Topics:

- 3. How employers currently test employees for marijuana usage and how that may, if at all, present a challenge to employees who use marijuana for medicinal purposes.
- 4. Any scientific advances made concerning testing for marijuana usage.

Third Subcommittee Topics:

- 5. Any other workplace barriers that employees or employers face concerning medical marijuana.
- 6. The statistical impact on how beneficial medical marijuana usage can be for firefighters and employed veterans.
- V. Public Testimony
- VI. Other Business
- VII. Next meeting dates

Tuesday, November 29, 2022

VIII. Adjournment

*Please submit public testimonies and stories to the following: lammjemploymentTF@la.gov

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